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For: **VIRTUAL ORTHODONTIC TREATMENT**

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Sir:

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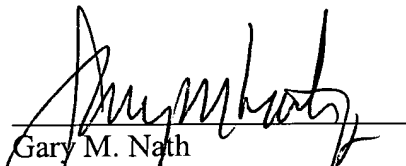
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- (2) Supplemental Response Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111.

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This response is supplemental to the response filed on May 9, 2006, which is a complete response to the Office Action having a mailing date of February 23, 2006. The three-month shortened statutory period to respond was set to expire May 23, 2006, making this a timely filed response to the present Office Action.

Entry of this Supplemental Response is respectfully requested since it is limited to adoption of Examiner's suggestions. In view of the following remarks, the Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw the outstanding rejections and allow this application.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 27 – 54 are presented for reconsideration and further examination in view of the following remarks. Claims 1 – 26 have been canceled.

In the outstanding Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 27 – 54 under 35 U.S.C.